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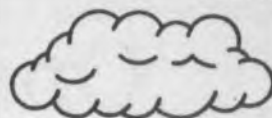
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Lobbying may impact proposed budget

By DARLA WARNOCK
The BG News

A long road lies ahead of the University as the state budget proposal attempts to put a damper on the funds of higher education.

But according to University President Sidney Ribeau, the budget proposal can be turned around with the help of the campus community.

The current proposal offers the University a 2.3 percent increase next year and a 1.7 percent increase the following year, nearly four percent less than was requested by the Ohio Board of Regents.

"The effort now is to lobby..."
Sidney Ribeau

The proposed state budget allows higher education a 3.4 and 3.7 percent increases, respectively; however, the money is allocated through a system based upon enrollment numbers and size.

Ribeau said the increases given to the University are well below the inflation rate, which translates into a budgetary cut.

"It's really bad because of the formula," Ribeau said. "Those numbers aren't a reality and we

know for certain that mandatory cost adjustments will be at minimum three percent."

Ribeau compared the budget adjustments to the deficit Ohio faced in 1991. He said the University had to face harsh cuts because of the lack of resources in the state.

The difference between the current situation, Ribeau said, is that Ohio has a surplus of money that could be used to support higher education.

He said the proposed budget concentrates on supporting K-12 education, prisons and health care.

"There's no reason for higher education not to get closer to

their original request because there's money available," Ribeau said. "It's not good for the state to have higher education in a position where they can't create quality programs."

He said the proposed numbers will not become a reality for the University if students and faculty continue lobbying efforts in Columbus.

Charles Middleton, vice president of academic affairs and provost, explained students can be very influential in attaining more money for the University.

"We have to continue to make the case that high quality college education for the citizens of Ohio is essential to the vitality and

well-being of the economy of the state," Middleton said. "We need to continue to make the case on the basis of the importance of higher education to the future well-being of Ohio."

The budget should be finalized by May, Middleton said. He explained it is difficult to speculate how the currently proposed budget would affect the University.

He explained a number of variables could affect the final University budget.

"It's way too early to speculate on what it would mean because the budget is not just based upon those considerations -- there are so many variables," Middleton said. "Little changes in assump-

tion have big impacts. So we're hanging on."

Ribeau said once students realize the importance of the issue to them and start lobbying to their state representatives for a change, it should not be difficult to change the minds of legislators.

"The effort now is to lobby, to work with and to try to explain this to the state legislators," Ribeau said. "That's very important because politicians respond to the concerns of their constituents. They hear from [administrators] all the time so they kind of tune us out, but from students and parents they will listen."

Speaker calls for changes

By CHARLOTTE WADE
The BG News

African-American poet, playwright and essayist Amiri Baraka challenged students, faculty and staff when he visited the University Wednesday.

Baraka, former head of Africana Studies at the State University of New York, came to Bowling Green as a guest of the Ethnic Studies department. During his speech on "Revolutionary Art and Culture," Baraka challenged students to raise their "level of consciousness." He said students need to move beyond what they are assigned in class.

"Most of you will never think," Baraka said. "That is the challenge: getting you to think and draw analogies."

Baraka encouraged students of color to use their education to pay back those who fought for the rights of minorities.

"You are not here because you are smart," he said. "You are here because people struggled."

An audience member asked the poet about what students should be doing with this newfound knowledge that they are receiving. Baraka called for the overthrow of capitalism.

"I am a communist and I will admit it," he said. "Capitalism has never served black people, and not very many

white people."

Baraka also questioned democracy, stating that corporations run the United States.

"Why can they cut all you working class students out of jobs and scholarships?" he said. "Even the so-called founding fathers didn't want big business to run the government."

Despite Baraka's cynicism about democracy, he encouraged students to continue to work toward freedom.

"Either you are involved in that struggle for democracy or you're against it," Baraka said.

Baraka said if he could lend one piece of advice to President Clinton it would be to enact full reparations for slavery. Baraka believes that black Americans should receive 244 years of education and socialization for repayment of 244 years of slavery.

"Once you educate the people, you can't hold them down," Baraka said.

Glenn Jones, a sophomore telecommunications major, agreed with Baraka's call for reparations.

"Everyone has truly been affected by this [government's] irresponsibility," Jones said.

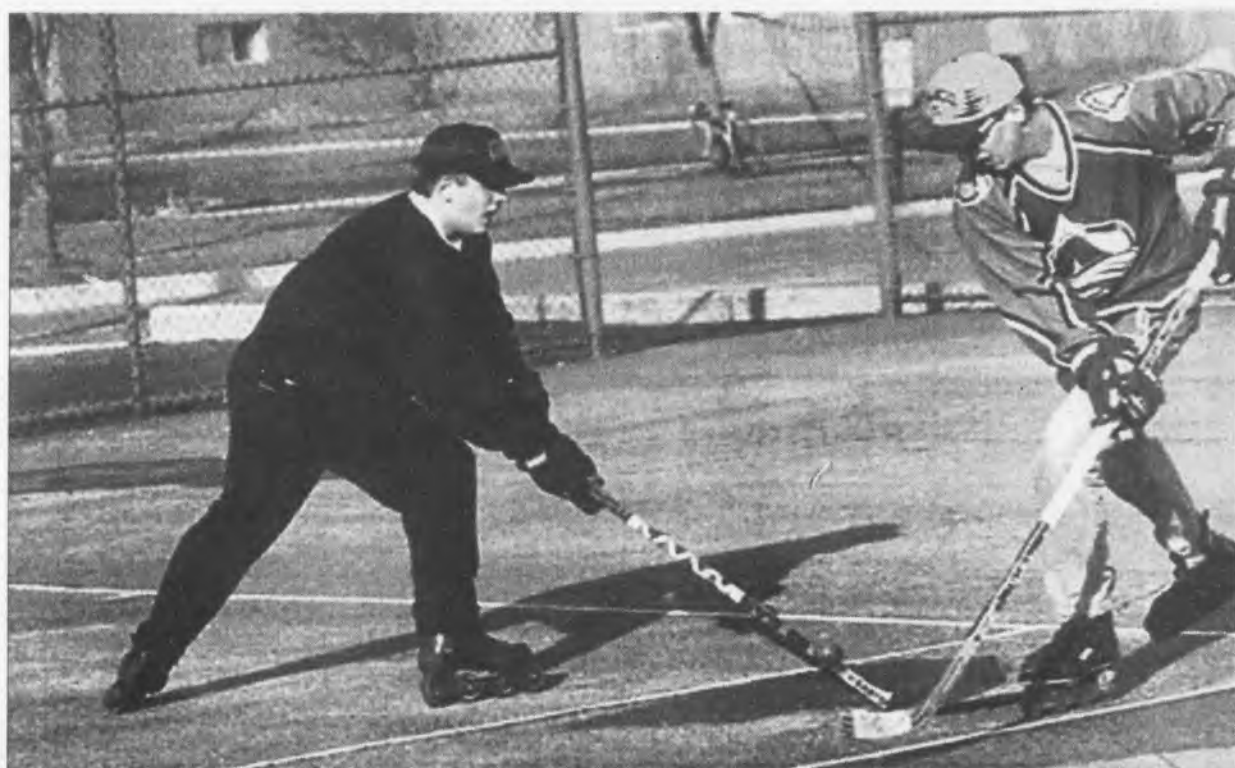
Amera Ahmed, a sophomore English major, said that Baraka-

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Amiri Baraka, former head of Africana Studies at the State University of New York, spoke to students Wednesday about "raising their levels of consciousness."

Out of Hibernation



Joe Wilkins (left), freshman, and Tim Odenweller (right), computer science major, take advantage of the warm weather Tuesday to play roller-hockey.

BG News Photo by Doug Khrenovsky

USG holds diversity discussion

By KEITH COOK
The BG News

The Undergraduate Student Government sponsored a panel discussion dealing with issues of diversity Monday night in Ols-

camp Hall. The purpose of the panel discussion was, "to motivate legislation for issues of diversity," according to Philana Boles, USG cabinet member and coordinator of multicultural affairs.

Students and faculty panelists had an opportunity to better understand the need for diversity and offer ways to promote diversity on the University campus and in their own lives.

"We [BGSU's population] don't feel diversity," said Manuel Vaddillo, associate director of the office of multicultural affairs. "It's hard to adopt a sense of diversity for those who don't interact with those who are different."

Assistant Professor of Ethnic

Studies, Shirley Jackson, has studied all over the country and views her experiences as, "a good thing and wouldn't trade it for the world."

"Diversity is different everywhere you go. BGSU's meaning of diversity is different than somewhere else," Jackson said.

Jackson encouraged those who have encountered diversity to "promote the idea to your peers."

Pauline Karuri, a sophomore management and information

systems and finance major and a member of the African People Association said, "Diversity is an issue everyone in this country deals with."

Karuri said she will promote the idea of diversity by "sharing what I know with others."

Boles hoped that participants in the panel discussion will leave with "a sense of hope that we as leaders on this campus can make a difference and the inspiration to make that difference."

Clinton limits campaign fund-raising

The Associated Press

WASHINGTON -- Despite White House assertions to the contrary, President Clinton has the power to punish Democratic campaign committees that refuse to honor his call for voluntary fund-raising limits.

But having the Democratic National Committee exercise its legal authority over the party's House and Senate campaign

committees would be an extraordinary step, one that likely would trigger a revolt within the party.

It is not considered a serious option by Clinton advisers, who were warned in advance that there would be Democratic dissent with the president's proposal.

A month ago, Clinton announced the DNC would no longer accept any money from U.S.-based subsidiaries of for-

ign corporations, even though such contributions are legal.

Clinton also said the DNC would put a voluntary cap of \$100,000 a year on donations from corporations, labor unions and wealthy contributors. Clinton called on Republicans to follow suit, but the GOP labeled Clinton's announcement a ploy designed to divert attention from questionable fund raising to support his re-election campaign.

More difficult for the White House to explain have been the pointed snubs from within the president's own party. The Democratic Senatorial Campaign Committee and the Democratic Congressional Campaign Committee, which channel millions of dollars to Senate and House campaigns, respectively, have refused to embrace the limits. So has the Democratic Governors Association.

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AARON WEISBROD

How many faces do you have on?

*We live alone, we die alone.
Everything else is self-dillusion.*
-Peter David

*This is your world in which we grow
And we will grow to hate you*
-Marilyn Manson

My eyes turned glassy, my jaw fell wide open, and my head slowly sank to the table.

"Not you too," I muttered to myself.

As my head rested on the table I heard a voice asking me something to the extent of "Are you OK, Aaron?" It didn't matter, though. Within the last thirty seconds my whole world view had been shattered...for what was perhaps the final time.

As the two of us sat at the Denny's booth, my mind drifted back to different times...or at least to times that I *thought* were different.

My freshman year of high school was a very interesting, as well as very awkward, year for me. Most of my true friends (as opposed to the classmates I spoke to every day in class) were either in eighth grade, and hence still at the junior high, or seniors, and hence not in most of my classes.

I did have one true friend in my grade, however, whose name was "Anastasia." Not only was Anastasia in a number of my classes, but she also lived within walking (and skateboarding) distance of my house, which was incredibly convenient considering the fact that neither of us had our driver's licenses yet.

Ahhh, yes. Anastasia and I would hang-out together almost everyday, sometimes planning world domination, sometimes listening to the Sex Pistols or Red Hot Chili Peppers, sometimes arguing for three hours straight about meaningless topics and issues...and life was good.

Anastasia belonged to the kind

of family that moved often, and as a result of this she had friends in many of the school districts surrounding

Perrysburg. Well, one day when I called Anastasia to see if she wanted to hang out, she excitedly told me about a friend of hers named "Sunny" that she wanted to introduce me to.

"Uh...OK," I said as I hung up the phone, slipped on my fingerless leather gloves and strolled out of my house, skateboard in hand.

In the days and weeks that followed, Sunny quickly became a member of the exclusive comradery Anastasia and I had. Before too long Sunny and I even began to have a limited friendship outside of Anastasia.

Unbeknownst to me at the time, however, Anastasia wasn't too thrilled with this idea.

Regardless, time marched on (as it always does), and with the change in the weather came relocation plans for Anastasia's household. This time, however, Anastasia was going to be moving out of the state.

Ouch.

Yeah, our last meeting together was kind of emotional and sappy, but hey, what else would you expect between two friends, right? As I was leaving Anastasia's house for the last time, she threw an interesting little tidbit my way. "Oh yeah, I almost forgot to tell you that I talked to Sunny today," she said as I was stepping off her porch.

"Really?" I asked. "What's up with her?"

"Not too much. I guess she's got a boyfriend now, though," she replied.

I could tell from the tone of her voice what she was implying: Sunny was now off-limits to her male friends. It was, and oftentimes still is, a typical clause that comes with new boyfriends and/or girlfriends.

As I skateboarded off into the sunset, a tear came to my eye. I expected to lose only one friend that day, but instead I had just lost two.

"So let me get this straight," I said, as I raised my head from the table and faced Sunny in a disorienting sense of acceptance. "You never told Anastasia you had a boyfriend..."

"No," she replied.

"And she told you that me and her were an item?"

"Yep," she stated plainly as she took another sip of her coffee.

In a world of people who oftentimes lie or deceive others more times in a day than they tell the truth, I thought that Anastasia was different.

As it turns out, however, I was sadly, sadly mistaken, and the trust Sunny and me had in her led us not to see each other for five years.

I haven't seen Anastasia for quite a long time now, and as a result I can only guess at what her intentions were for lying to Sunny and I about each other. My guess would be that she didn't want us to start "dating" or something, but regardless, what she did was inexcusable simply because of the fact that she did it with her own interests and benefits in mind.

Before some of you out there screaming "hypocrite" at the top of your lungs, chill out a second. I'm not claiming that I haven't lied before. Hell, I don't think anyone out there can.

I can claim, however, that with one exception (which had very unique conditions surrounding it) I haven't lied in a very, very long time. I've learned to have more respect for people than that.

Apparently, most people haven't, though, and instead a number of you out there are more concerned with your own piddly little lives and self-satisfying goals rather than being honest with the people around you and forming

open, honest relationships with the people you dare to call your "friends."

Keeping something to yourself is called privacy. Manipulating the truth or deceiving someone into thinking that something that isn't true is lying. Notice the difference?

A lot of you out there are probably thinking something along the lines of how hard or unavoidable it is not to lie on a day to day basis, and that makes me completely sick to my stomach.

If you're one of the people this column is targeting, ask yourself this: How many people have you lied to this week? This month? This year? Or better yet, how many times have you lied to someone during the past ninety days?

Now ask yourself this: How can you look at yourself in the mirror on a day to day basis? How can you stomach looking at people and lying right to their faces? Really, how can you do it? Are you *that* dead to your own emotions and to the world of living, feeling, sentient creatures around you? Are you *that* wrapped up in yourself?

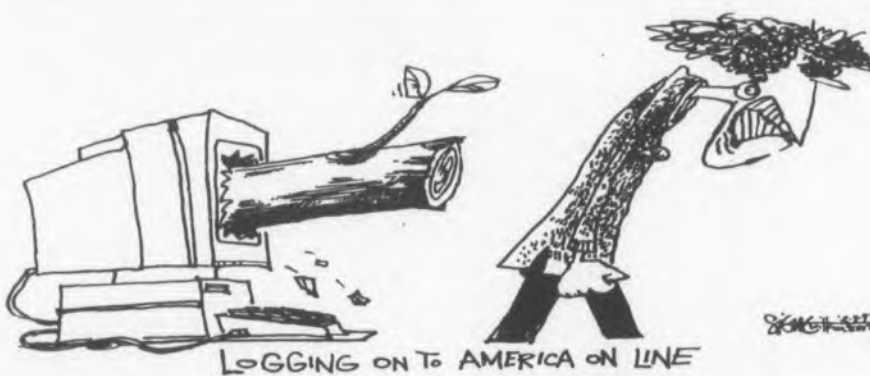
I'm not trying to sound like I expect perfection from people, because I don't. As a very famous cliché says, "To err is human."

To deceive, however, is unforgivable.

Aaron Weisbrod is the slightly irritated Thursday columnist for The News. He'd like to thank the small handful of people he knows who are almost completely honest with both themselves and other people, as well as the rest of the uncredited minority out there who also practices this policy. Comments, hate-mail, and other stuff can be sent to aaronw@bgnet.bgsu.edu or 210 West Hall.



"How many people have you lied to this week? This month? This year?"



GUEST COLUMNIST

It's time to rename Olscamp Hall

A dubious honor was bestowed upon BGSU this year, an honor to which no school would dream to lay claim.

The University has a building named after a man who violated the law.

Friday, in Wood County Common Pleas Court, Judge Charles Kurfess ruled that former President Paul J. Olscamp and Marshall Rose, director of affirmative action, were guilty of shredding public documents—a violation of Ohio's Sunshine Laws.

The Sunshine Laws were designed to protect the people from our government; to give people access to the meetings and documents which allow us to keep tabs on our state and local officials—including University presidents.

But in 1995, Dr. Olscamp decided to ignore the Sunshine Laws, as he permitted the destruction of documents about a very sensitive sexual harassment case involving Phil Mason, vice president for university relations and a friend of Olscamp's, and Bernadette Noe, a University fundraiser and wife of Tom Noe, then a University trustee.

The case got everyone worked up. Noe filed her complaint with Rose, who immediately began an investigation into Mason's behavior—so important an investigation it would have been obvious to a sixth-grader that all notes on the

case should be kept. The fat was in the fire, and everyone knew it was going to get ugly.

It's unclear when these documents were destroyed, or even precisely what information was in them. What is painfully clear is this: Olscamp allowed, if not ordered, the destruction of documents that contained information that could have damaged his friend, if not Olscamp himself.

This attitude runs contrary to one of the most important missions of higher education: to foster debate, openness and free speech.

Destroying public documents about a sensitive case tells the public that someone had something to hide, no matter how big or how inconsequential it may have seemed at the time. Olscamp and Rose are well-educated men. Perhaps better than anyone, these two men know how public knowledge of shredded documents can cripple a university's public relations (not to mention fundraising) efforts.

For a judge to find Olscamp responsible for violating this important law makes the University look like a closed-door society, a place where truth has no place and reality is something created by the president.

This, at points during the Olscamp years, seemed to be the case. Olscamp's responsibility for this offense reflects poorly, but accurately, on an attitude that was pervasive during his tenure, an attitude that has no place at a good university.

Do no harm (to my image) was the hippocratic oath that seemed an unwritten rule in those strange days. An almost Nixonian Good Ol' Boys Club formed in the upper echelons of the University, and no one, particularly not the University's trustees, said "boo" about the whole sordid situation.

People who worked in offices with Olscamp's friends were literally scared of reporters from this very newspaper, afraid to talk about what they had seen in their offices. Faxes and memos from the top down warned University employees not to talk to the media about their experiences in the affected offices. Noncompliance was obviously not an option.

Those days seem to be gone now under the Ribeau administration—most of the vice presidencies have been purged, but the remnants and aftershocks of those twisted days continue to haunt the University.

Friday's announcement was really no big deal, save for one major point.

Olscamp broke the law. Those who break the law, society looks

down upon, and comes up with a name such as "guilty."

Perhaps one of the best buildings on campus is named after a man who is now guilty of a major violation of free speech and openness. Is this the image the University wants to show the public?

I can only imagine what the tours on Presidents' Day were like as they went through Olscamp Hall.

"Hi, my name is Linda, welcome to Olscamp Hall. This building has all the latest in modern telecommunications technology. It is architecturally unique and is also named after a man who broke the law and is an archenemy of the First Amendment."

Beautiful. Maybe some of the new leaps in technology should include document shredders.

Perhaps it is time for the University Trustees to reconsider the error made in 1994. It was bad enough to name the building after a man who was a sitting president, and one unpopular with both students and faculty alike.

Let's rename it now—North-west Hall has a nice ring to it.

Joe Boyle is a reporter and past editor of The News. Questions and comments can be sent to 210 West Hall.

Special coverage on the debate over the changing of the BGSU Falcon logo will be included in tomorrow's edition of The News. Columnists Natalie Miller and Aaron Weisbrod will debate the pros and cons of logo-swapping amidst the published results of the reader's poll hundreds of students participated in two days ago. Look for it tomorrow in The BG News.

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STATE

Trauma Crop research at UT

system should benefit

The Associated Press

COLUMBUS -- A proposed bill mandating a statewide trauma system could do what a subcommittee hasn't been able to do for five years.

The system would match the most critically injured people with the hospital closest and best able to provide the kind of care they need.

Rep. William Schuck, R-Columbus, said he wants to bypass the issues holding up the organization of such a system by introducing one through legislation.

"We've tried to meet with as many of the interested groups as possible," Schuck said Tuesday. "But this is a difficult problem and there are many players. There is going to be legislation. For me, what's important is what is best for the patient."

The State Emergency Medical Services Board created its 15-member subcommittee in 1992 to devise such a system.

The group has been working to define trauma, create a registry to track patients and their care, establish what trauma systems exist on a county level and determine whether the state needs a voluntary or mandatory system.

The panel met Tuesday to discuss Schuck's plans, its progress and a recent series on trauma care in Ohio published in The Columbus Dispatch.

Holding up progress have been the issues of whether the system should be mandatory or voluntary and the confidentiality of information on the trauma registry. The newest issue is whether to support Schuck's plans.

Everett Weber, president of Grady Memorial Hospital in Delaware and a subcommittee member, said Schuck might be jumping the gun.

"We might not be ready to support him," Weber said. "If we go ahead now without all the data in hand, it would be a mistake."

Opposing a mandatory system are the Ohio Department of Public Safety, which oversees the EMS board, and the Association for Hospitals and Health Systems, formerly the Ohio Hospital Association.

Some subcommittee members also believe a mandatory system is unnecessary despite the panel's proposal in May recommending it.

The EMS board sent the proposal back and told the panel to remove the mandatory requirement.

Twenty-seven states and the District of Columbia have mandatory trauma systems.

Most of them have statewide trauma registries. They are used to track trauma patients from the time of an accident through rehabilitation and can show weak spots in care.

The subcommittee's registry rules were approved by the EMS board and the Joint Committee on Agency Rule Review. But they may not get the information they want.

Hospitals want a guarantee that any information they supply regarding patients will remain confidential. Current Ohio open records laws would not guarantee confidentiality.

Still, the subcommittee Tuesday proposed a list of data to include in a registry.

The Associated Press

TOLEDO -- The University of Toledo will build a \$2.5 million research center which will focus on growing new strains of crops that are more resistant to pests and disease.

The U.S. Department of Agriculture has given money for the center.

"It's good news for the university," said Stephen Goldman, the center's director. "But more than that, we feel we can make a real impact on agriculture in the state."

Parasites cause Ohio growers to lose more than \$400 million a year.

Goldman also is hoping that the new strains of crops grown at the research center will be more nutritional.

The center, which will be built

at the Pharmacy, Chemistry and Life Sciences Complex, is expected to open later this year.

It will be only the second of its kind in Ohio that focuses on plant genetic engineering. The other is at Ohio State University.

Federal officials estimate that farmers have saved millions of dollars nationally in potential crop losses in the past two years by using newly produced seeds from laboratories.

By isolating cells, scientists can cross the cells of two distinct plants in a test tube to create a superior plant.

A special team of researchers will be assigned to the center from the university, the Medical College of Ohio and Bowling Green State University.

Two of the main plants to be studied will be corn and soybeans -- Ohio's big cash crops.

"We're talking about trying to help make a difference in one of the state's most critical industries -- agriculture," said Goldman. "It's an important mission."

Some of the latest procedures in biotechnology will be performed at the center, including ways to make sweet corn sweeter and tomatoes more durable to ship without rotting.

In addition to farming, the center also will look for ways to isolate cells that can be used in vaccines and drugs.

"It means delving in the area of anti-cancer and other kinds of medicinal research," Goldman said.

Like other research centers, the university's facility will be able to contract with seed companies and major farms.

Around Bowling Green

Falcon football player indicted

A University football player was indicted yesterday by a Wood County Grand Jury.

Dontay Hunter, a letterwinner on last year's 4-7 Falcon squad, was indicted on charges of aggravated assault.

Dinner theater held for Black History Month

The University's Black History Month dinner theater entitled "Every Good-Bye Ain't Gone" will be presented Friday at 7 p.m. in the Lenhart Grand Ballroom of the University Union.

Regularly a sell-out, advance reservations are required. For information and reservations call the University office of multicultural affairs at 372-2642.

Scholar

The University Institute for the Study of Culture and Society will begin the Spring 1997 Provost's Lecture Series in the Humanities, Arts and Social Sciences by bringing scholar and performance artist Coco Fusco to campus.

Fusco will present a documentary history of her performance work, "Performance and the Power of the Popular: Cultural Fusion in the Americas" at 2 p.m., Thursday Feb. 27 in the Lenhart Grand Ballroom of the BGSU Union.

Senator Glenn to announce future plans

The Associated Press

WASHINGTON -- Pondering whether to give up a much-loved job may be difficult but probably isn't the toughest choice John Glenn has had to make.

Glenn, a Democratic senator from Ohio for the past 22 years, is to announce Thursday whether he'll retire or chase a fifth term in 1998. Home-state Democrats expect him to use a planned campaign-style rally to declare there won't be another campaign.

President Clinton and other partisans had been trying to nudge Glenn toward another race, and some ambitious Buckeyes had been agitating for a firm declaration so they could start running to replace Glenn.

But if the 75-year-old senator felt pressured, he didn't show it -- maybe because of his experience with other decisions, where he had to weigh life, death, failure and near-bankruptcy.

When Glenn went into space 35 years ago Thursday, he was sitting atop a rocket that could go 18,000 miles an hour, with 360,000 pounds of thrust.

Just a few months earlier, the Mercury 7 astronauts had witnessed the spectacular nighttime launch of another Atlas that exploded before their eyes.

"I can tell you, we were one impressed bunch of guys," Glenn said, declining to say aloud the expletive the astronauts all shouted.

Despite that, Glenn made a decision: take the risk.

Later, after the parades and speeches and honors that followed the successful flight, Glenn had to consider whether to remain at NASA as a 43-year-old former astronaut or stick around just in case the bosses relented

and allowed him back into flight rotation.

Decision: move on.

In 1964, a short-lived Senate campaign had left him \$16,000 in debt and a bathroom fall had left him with a near-incapacitating vertigo; sudden head movements could send him careening into walls.

Decision: pay up, move on.

Glenn used all the money earned from the astronauts' joint "Life" magazine deal and the profits from a motel they'd all invested in to pay the creditors. Then, he left the Marines and entered the business world as a vice president of Royal Crown Cola, practically tripling his salary.

Glenn was a young man of 21 when he made another difficult decision, to leave Muskingum College to join the Naval Air Corps.

That choice enabled him to pursue his love of flight and serve his country -- an understandable decision, since the year was 1942, but it haunted him 16 years later. There were questions among the other astronauts about whether Glenn's credentials were equal to theirs, since he didn't have a degree.

Muskingum College subsequently accepted the credits Glenn had picked up from other universities and awarded him a diploma in 1962.

In World War II, fighter pilot Glenn ran 59 hazardous missions, often as a volunteer or as the requested backup of assigned pilots. A war later, he was an ace known by fellow MiG-downing pilots as "Old Magnet Ass."

Decision: take the risk.

Glenn once explained that the name came from his reputation of never shooting from high altitudes. "I was the one who went in



The Associated Press

Senator John Glenn, D-Ohio, poses in his Capitol Hill office. Glenn, 75, has reportedly decided not to seek a fifth term and will announce his intention to retire from the Senate later this week. He will make the announcement today, the 35th anniversary of his historic space flight as the first American to orbit Earth, at his alma mater, Muskingum College.

low and got them," he said, recalling one notable landing in which he was unharmed but ground fire had blasted a hole in his plane as wide as a man's shoulders.

Later, becoming a test pilot was another life-or-death decision; he went each day into the unknown, in aircraft that might

not pass the trials to which he put them.

Decision: take the risk.

In 1984, now-politician Glenn had to choose whether to follow his belief that he could be president, and then face the sorry results of running sixth in Iowa, third in New Hampshire, second in Alabama and fourth in Georgia

and Florida. If that wasn't humiliating enough, a \$2.5 million campaign debt turned into a 13-year albatross; it only now is being settled.

Flash forward to 1997. It's time to start raising money for a 1998 race or signal other Democrats that the field's clear for them to try their own campaigns.

Parents seek censorship in Ohio libraries for children

The Associated Press

COLUMBUS -- Libraries should be required to restrict what children are allowed to see, whether it's on the bookshelf or on the World Wide Web, a parents' group from northeast Ohio told lawmakers Wednesday.

Five members of the Citizens for the Protection of Children testified before the House Civil and Commercial Law Committee. The Medina-based group is affiliated with Fairfax, Va.-based Family-Friendly Libraries.

Committee Chairman Edward Kasputis, R-Olmsted Township, said no legislation has been written to deal with the matter, but

that he wanted the committee to hear from parents whose children had access to objectionable material.

Chris Williams, a computer programmer from Brunswick, told the committee that Internet sites showing graphic sexual acts and violence were available to children at libraries in his hometown and in Medina.

In December, six teen-age boys were caught looking at sexually graphic pictures on the Medina library's Internet hookup. Williams said he recently saw a teenager viewing explicit pictures on a library hookup.

"The library policy is that they will make no attempt to monitor

Internet access by children," Williams said.

Medina library Director Bob Smith said while there is nothing in the library's policy to deny Internet access to anyone, employees have been told to watch for objectionable material on the library's computers.

"In actuality, we don't condone inappropriate use of computers for sexually graphic information," Smith said. "If a staff member happens to see an individual looking at something that's sexually explicit, they ask that individual not to look at that and to go to another website."

The Medina library's board held a forum this month to hear

suggestions for an Internet policy. Smith said about 400 people attended and 35 to 40 spoke on the issue.

Michelle Yezerski, who has three children ages 4 to 11, said Smith told her after one board meeting that no matter how many people showed up, the library would not change its policy.

Smith denied the accusation.

"That's not what we're doing. I did not say that," Smith said. "What we're doing is looking at what mechanisms will help parents work with their children."

Williams and other members of the group criticized libraries for holding to guidelines they say al-

low anyone -- including children -- to have access to anything available on the Internet.

He said the guidelines are those that are set by the American Library Association, an industry group based in Chicago.

The ALA referred questions to its Office of Intellectual Freedom, which did not answer telephone calls Wednesday afternoon. However, the ALA said last month that its member libraries are free to set their own guidelines.

Frances Black, a member of the Southwest Public Libraries board in suburban Columbus, said boards must develop policies about Internet use.

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NATION

Call 311 for nonemergencies

The Associated Press

WASHINGTON -- The government is setting aside 311 as the telephone number for people to call police or other local agencies for nonemergency help.

Millions of people call 911 each year, but the Justice Department says most of those calls in many communities are for situations that are not emergencies, such as noisy neighbors or lost pets.

Wednesday's 311 allocation by the Federal Communications Commission responds to a request from President Clinton last July. To help combat crime, Clinton asked the agency to designate a number for community policing and other nonemergency calls. That number, he said, would take pressure off the

911 emergency calling system.

Available for use nationwide, the 311 code could improve the effectiveness of 911 service by cutting down the number of calls made to it, the FCC said. In Los Angeles alone, 325,000 callers to 911 hung up two years ago because the jammed line denied them immediate help.

The FCC's action does not require local governments to use 311 but ensures the number will be available if they choose to.

Baltimore, where more than 60 percent of 911 calls are estimated not to be for emergencies, became last October the first city -- and according to the FCC the only one thus far -- to institute 311 service.

That Maryland city can route 311 calls directly to local pre-

cincts and can treat as 911 calls emergency calls inadvertently made to the new number.

The FCC chose 311 because it's not widely used.

Companies, individuals or governments that currently use 311 for purposes other than nonemergency police calls can retain the number until their local government activates the new service.

A uniform number for community policing and for nonemergencies nationwide will minimize confusion and provide consistency as people travel or move to new communities, the Justice Department says.

In a speech at the University of Massachusetts in Boston, Clinton hailed the FCC's action Wednesday.

"To all of you out there who are just citizens, I say, use both numbers and talk to your neighbors about using them in the right way."

President Clinton

"To all of you out there who are just citizens, I say, use both numbers and talk to your neighbors about using them in the right way. Be a part of neighborhood watch," he said. "We'll do our part. You have to do your part."

Detroit strikers' return imminent

The Associated Press

DETROIT -- Detroit's daily newspapers accepted a back-to-work offer from their striking employees Wednesday, pronouncing an end to a bitter, 19-month walkout that divided one of America's staunchest union towns. But the dispute appeared far from over.

Union leaders charged that the newspapers' plans to rehire employees as openings become available amount to a rejection of their back-to-work offer.

They said they would ask the National Labor Relations Board to seek an injunction forcing the reinstatement of all workers who want to return to *The Detroit News*, *The Detroit Free Press* and *Detroit Newspapers Inc.*, which

runs the papers' business and production operations under a joint operating agreement.

"The unions have made a good-faith effort to stop the pain and suffering in this community," said Al Derey, chairman of the umbrella organization for the six striking union locals, "and the employer again has told us in this community to go to hell."

Derey said strike activities including picketing would continue, but he said signs would be changed to say the workers were locked out rather than on strike.

Some 2,500 employees -- including pressmen, truck drivers, reporters and editors -- went on strike in July 1995 over such issues as wages, work rules, union jurisdiction, job cuts and health care costs. About 430 have re-

turned to work.

During the strike -- one of the longest walkouts in the industry's history, marked by vandalism, violence and advertiser and subscriber boycotts -- the newspapers continued to publish by hiring about 1,200 replacement workers and using managers and strikers who crossed

the picket lines.

The unions last week began offering to return to work unconditionally in what they said was a legal maneuver and not a surrender.

On Wednesday, the newspapers announced that they had accepted the offer.

BARAKA

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ka's presentation encouraged her.

"You come away from something like that and you're so rejuvenated and empowered," Ahmed said. "He was just amazing." Baraka, formerly LeRoi Jones,

became a Black Nationalist following the death of civil rights advocate Malcolm X. Baraka has produced over 45 pieces of work including plays, poetry, jazz operas and non-fiction work. Baraka's most recent book is "Black People and Jesse Jackson." It is scheduled to be released next month.

Around the Nation

Supreme Court protects protesters' right to free speech

WASHINGTON -- The Supreme Court bolstered the free-speech rights of protesters outside abortion clinics Wednesday, ruling they can confront patients on public sidewalks as long as they stay at least 15 feet away from clinic entrances.

The court did not strip abortion clinics and patients of the considerable protection granted in recent years against violence and intimidation. But the justices said a federal judge went too far in restricting anti-abortion demonstrators in the Buffalo and Rochester, N.Y., areas.

The judge in New York had ordered protesters to stay 15 feet away from any clinic patient or staff member, no matter where they were. But the justices voted 8-1 that such "floating buffer zones" violate rights guaranteed by the Constitution's First Amendment.

"They burden more speech than is necessary," Chief Justice William H. Rehnquist wrote for the court.

By a separate 6-3 vote, the court upheld a "fixed buffer zone" that keeps demonstrators at least 15 feet away from clinic doors and driveways.

Court rules officers' safety outweighs passengers' privacy

WASHINGTON -- Police can order all passengers -- not just the driver -- out of vehicles stopped for routine traffic offenses, the Supreme Court said Wednesday in a ruling that officers' safety outweighs passengers' privacy.

"Regrettably, traffic stops may be dangerous encounters" for police, Chief Justice William H. Rehnquist wrote in a decision hailed by police groups.

The 7-2 decision in a Maryland case said ordering passengers not suspected of wrongdoing out of a car is only a "minimal" intrusion on their rights.

"Danger to an officer from a traffic stop is likely to be greater when there are passengers in addition to the driver in the stopped car," the chief justice added. He noted that 11 police officers were killed and more than 5,700 were assaulted during traffic stops in 1994.

The two dissenters, Justices John Paul Stevens and Anthony M. Kennedy, said officers should be allowed to make passengers get out of a vehicle only when they actually suspect possible danger.

Study links cooling of brain injury victims to speedy recovery

NEW YORK -- Victims of severe brain injuries can recover faster and perhaps more fully if their bodies are chilled to 87 or 88 degrees for a day, a study found.

The cooling treatment is "something every hospital could do," said Dr. Donald Marion, director of the brain trauma research center at the University of Pittsburgh Medical Center.

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Falcons lose a heartbreaker in Oxford

By SCOTT BROWN
The BG News

OXFORD -- The Curse continues.

Bowling Green came up empty in the final 60 seconds Wednesday, losing its 10th in a row here at Miami's Millett Hall, 64-59 before 4,016 fans.

The ghosts of the streak were apparent at the end. BG's Jay Larranaga, with his team down 62-59 with 10 seconds left, had a tying 3-point attempt go in and out of the basket.

Miami's Damon Frierson had broken a 59-all tie with a pair of free throws with 42 seconds left.

Bowling Green then came up empty on its next possession with

MEN'S BASKETBALL

Antonio Daniels missing a jumper in the lane -- a shot he normally makes -- and Tony Reid unable to come up with a follow shot.

Devin Davis hit three free throws in the final 20 seconds to insure the final outcome for the Redskins.

"Good ball game," Miami coach Charlie Coles said. "Both teams played well."

Ira Newble led a balanced Miami attack with 14 points, followed by Davis with 13 and Wally Szczerbiak and Damon Frierson with 11 apiece.

Antonio Daniels had 17 points to lead the Falcons while Anthony Stacey added 14.

Miami stands 14-8 overall and 9-5 in the Mid-American Conference. BG remains in first place at 19-7 and 11-4.

"It was more Miami's style tonight," BG coach Jim Larranaga said. "We were never able to pick up any kind of tempo."

Among the 10 straight BG losses at Millett Hall, three have come in the past two seasons.

BG's last seven losses have been by a total score of 521-389.

Miami has won 15 games in a row at home, and 36 of the past 38.

The Falcons continually had problems with the inside attack

of the Redskins, led by Newble in the first half and Davis in the second half.

The Redskins, seemingly unaffected by BG's full-court press in the second half, dictated the tempo and kept the Falcons out of their scrambling style.

Davis and Newble combined for 20 rebounds, with Davis grabbing 11.

"Our rebounding was the real thing tonight," Coles said. "A lot of our turnovers were unforced errors, so I thought we handled their pressure well."

Miami commanded a 37-24 rebounding advantage. The 59 points marks only the third time all season the Falcons were held under 70 points.

Larranaga's tying try seemed as though it was going down from the moment it left the senior guard's hands.

"Jay had a good look," Larranaga said. "Nine out of ten times, that goes down. It was one of those nights."

BG fought back to tie it at 51 when Kirk Cowan took a missed foul shot by Larranaga and slammed it home, but seconds later Cowan was assessed a technical for supposedly taking a swipe at Davis.

Frierson hit one of two free throws for the Redskins, but Moore came up with a steal on the ensuing possession.

Two Moore foul shots put BG back up 53-52, and the teams bat-

tled back and forth to the 59-all standstill.

The Falcons started out of the gate strong, led by 12 quick

● See HOOPS, page nine.



BG News Photo by Kelly Dietrich

Freshman Jaymee Wappes directs the offense that shot 62 percent from the floor in the first half in last night's 75-67 Falcon victory. Wappes is guarded by Miami's Jennifer Wenclewicz.

BG claims sixth straight with consistency, poise

By JASON McMAHON
The BG News

Miami's Jennifer Wenclewicz had just hit a layup with 30 seconds to go, pulling her team to within six points of Bowling Green. The Redskins called timeout, and Wenclewicz simply walked to the bench and shrugged. She knew it was too little, too late.

The Falcons (13-10, 10-5 Mid-American Conference) parlayed one of their best, most consistent games of the season into a 75-67 victory, catapulting them into a third-place tie in the MAC.

The defeat of Miami (16-8, 10-5) was the sixth consecutive conquest for Bowling Green, and

MIAMI (16-8, 10-5)
Smoot 0-3 4-4 4, Manns 4-10 0-1 8, Hammond 4-8 0-8 8, Kent 4-14 0-0 10, Wenclewicz 8-21 5-6 22, Zak 0-2 0-0 0, Shade 3-4 0-0 6, Shelley 3-4 1-2 7, Hamilton 1-4 0-0 2.
Totals 27-70 10-13 67.BOWLING GREEN (13-10, 10-5)
Jones 5-15 7-7 17, Kahle 3-5 0-0 6, Raterman 4-5 1-1 9, Puthoff 7-15 8-8 23, Wappes 0-3 2-2 2, Terry 5-9 1-2 11, Gafford 1-1 1-2 3, Billiter 2-3 0-0 4. Totals 27-56 20-22 75.

Halftime - Bowling Green 39, Miami 33. Three-Point Goals - MU 3-19 (Kent 2-9, Wenclewicz 1-6, Manns 0-2, Zak 0-2), BG 1-4 (Puthoff 1-3, Wappes 0-1). Rebounds - MU 41 (Terry 10), MU 35 (Wenclewicz 10). Assists - BG 11 (Wappes 4), MU 9 (Kent 3). Turnovers - BG 22, MU 17. Fouled Out - Smoot, A - 697.

also avenged an earlier defeat to the Redskins, a game in which the Falcons fell apart over the last five minutes.

That didn't happen this time. With Miami up 7-4 early, junior guard Sara Puthoff led a 13-2 Falcon charge that gave her team a lead it would never relinquish. The preseason All-MAC poured in 11 points in the first seven minutes, all of them coming in that spurt.

"I thought Sara had a tremendous start for us," Falcon coach Jaci Clark said. "She came out with a lot of confidence and poise. That was key for us."

"I was feeling pretty good and my shot was falling," Puthoff said. "I had the open shot and I was just able to hit it."

Miami refused to die, though, and closed to within three with four minutes to go in the half. Clark called for a 20-second timeout, and the Falcons proceeded to rattle off an 11-2 run. Bowling Green went into halftime with a 39-33 lead.

Junior forward Charlotta Jones, who finished a perfect 7-of-7 from the line and scored 17 points, canned two free throws to open the second half, setting the stage for one of the most spectacular plays of the season.

After a Miami turnover, freshman point guard Jaymee Wappes pushed the ball upcourt and found Jacki Raterman all alone beneath the basket. The pass from Wappes sailed over the head of Raterman, but the sophomore center was able to snatch the ball with her left hand, switch to her right, and toss it in off the glass before she careened out of bounds.

"I just caught it and went up with it," Raterman said. "Sometimes luck's going to be on your side. [It was] the ugliest shot of the game."

"It was just a good fast-break opportunity. I just ran the floor and got a little position and took it up as strong as I could, and prayed that it went in."

Less fouls lead to more BG victories

By VINCE GUERRIERI
The BG News

The Falcons' recent win streak can be traced to many things, but is especially related to their decrease in fouls, as evidenced by yesterday's 75-67 win over Miami.

After committing only four fouls in the first half, Miami had 13 in the second, which led to 18 BG points at the free throw line. Eight of those points came from Sara Puthoff.

Puthoff, the leader in MAC free-throw percentage, scored 23 points total, including an 8-point run at the beginning of the game. According to Falcon coach Jaci Clark, Puthoff was the go-to player when Miami toughened their defense.

"When [Miami] started to press us, we wanted to have the ball in her hands," Clark said. "They had no choice but to foul us."

Miami coach Lisa Bradley saw no bright spots in a game that also saw 17 turnovers.

"We just didn't contain the ball, and we fouled," Bradley said.

The Falcons had 10 fouls in the game, their lowest total since a 59-50 win over Central Michigan Jan. 4, which saw BG commit nine fouls.

In the last six games, the Falcons have been out fouled by their opponents. Not coincidentally, the Falcons have won their last six games.

Prior to that game, the Falcons had a three-game losing skid, and out fouled their opponents by a margin of 58-45.

Clark credits the team's recent turnaround to the recent improvement in defense. "There's a

● See FOULS, page nine.

Icers enter two conference struggles

By BLAKE PARKINS
The BG News

This weekend will be a struggle for the BG icers as they travel to Miami Friday, and Ohio State on Saturday.

The trials are compounded by a Falcon lineup devoid of some key players. Kelly Perrault, Dave Faulkner, and Adam Edinger will probably view the game from behind the glass.

Faulkner is healing a sprained shoulder suffered against Alaska-Fairbanks. Perrault will miss action at the blue line. The senior is also nursing a shoulder sprain inflicted by a check from behind in the second period of the Western Michigan game last Saturday.

HOCKEY NOTEBOOK

Blake Parkins
BG News
Sports Editor

"It's just unbelievable, we've had 11 shoulder injuries this year," said coach Buddy Powers.

Freshman center Adam Edinger sustained a sprained knee last Sunday at Ohio State that could keep him off the ice until March.

"You throw in Punchard's an-

kle and Edinger's knee and it makes it difficult."

Mixed lines

The injury-plagued Falcons will be forced to put together unconventional lines to face Miami and OSU. The altered lines will thrust new faces into the spotlight that must produce.

"We've got to have guys ready to step to the plate and pitch in this week to help fill the void," Powers said.

Friday's matchup with the CCHA's second-place sharing Miami could be a precursor to the CCHA playoffs, which could again see the Falcons as the visiting club.

The Falcons have not yet

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Falcon hockey at Miami and Ohio StateWhen:
Friday, 7 p.m.; Saturday, 7 p.m.Where:
Goggin Arena, Oxford; OSU Ice Arena, ColumbusRadio:
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bested Miami in two previous meetings. BG was shut out back on Nov. 15, again with an incomplete roster, and a tie at the Ice House on Jan. 31.

Powers said that he has no pre-

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● See SIXTH, page eight.

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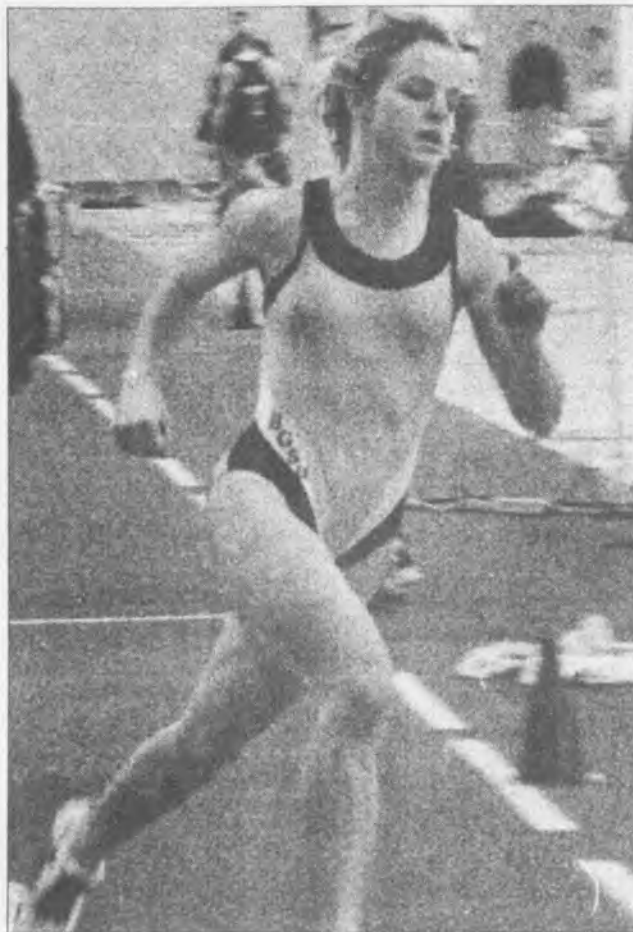
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MAC Track Championships

Women anticipate good finish this weekend



BG News Photo by Gina Fleming

By BRETT THOMPSON
 The BG News

After months of hard work and anticipation, "MAC Week" is finally here for the Bowling Green women's track team.

The Falcons travel to Kent State University on Friday and Saturday to compete in the Mid-American Conference indoor championships. According to BG's team captains, the Falcons are more than ready for the meet.

"We've had a great season so far and we had a good week of practice," co-captain Nikki Litz said. "Everyone is extremely focused on this weekend. I have a feeling that we are going to surprise some teams and place pretty high."

Litz hopes to place high in the triple jump, but will face some stiff competition.

"I want to win, but realistically, I am aiming for the top five. I definitely think I'll place in the top eight," Litz said. "There are some good triple jumpers in the MAC, but I think I have a shot."

Litz anticipates a strong meet for the jumpers, especially in the high jump. Last week at Ball State, all the high jumpers tied or beat their personal records. Jodi Rafferty's performance put her in the top three in the MAC.

"Jodi, Julie [Nickamp], and Stephanie [Heldt] all could place in the MAC," Litz said. "Becky Barnett has hit some good jumps in the long jump and will be in the thick of things. Becky and Brook Miller might surprise

What:
 MAC track championships
 When:
 Friday and Saturday
 Where:
 Kent State University

Both the men's and women's MAC track championships take place this weekend at Kent State University. Tomorrow, The BG News will offer previews of both events.

some people in the pentathlon. They've really improved in every event."

Sprint captain Kristin Inman expects a good performance from her team, but also anticipates a very competitive meet.

"Everyone's excited, especially the freshmen, because it's their first MAC meet," Inman said. "Everyone seems to step up their performances at the MAC meet. I don't know what it is about it, but the MAC seems to bring out the best in everyone."

"I think it's going to be a really good meet. Every team in the MAC has gotten better this year. We've improved a lot, but everyone else has improved along with us."

The sprinters have been plagued by injuries all season long, but according to Inman, this might be a breakthrough meet.

"The sprinters are a lot stronger this year than we have been in years past," Inman said. "I think we're going to do a lot

● See TRACK, page seven.

Libby Mitchell will be part of a strong distance contingent that hopes to help Bowling Green bring home a MAC championship. The Falcons may have the best distance squad in the conference.

Dedicated distance runner Nieset a big asset for BG men's track team



BG News Photo by Gina Fleming

By TOD McCLOSKEY
 The BG News

Flying high with confidence and triumph, Craig Nieset is having the time of his life.

Nieset, one of Bowling Green's top distance runners this year, is enjoying success that is well-deserved from four years of hard work and dedication to his country.

"I'm in a different position than a lot of traditional students are," Nieset said.

After high school the junior architectural design major enlisted in the Air Force. He's now 26 years old. He spent four years of his young life serving the military. For Nieset, that experience elevated his maturity and his overall will to succeed.

"I think it puts me at another level to where I'm more focused, I know what I want," Nieset said.

The native of Fremont, Ohio, enjoys the competition of running, but nothing has come easy for him. His first two years here, Nieset was just another runner, scoring few points.

This year, things started happening for Nieset. He has the team's best 800-meter run time in 1:52, as well as the top 1600-meter run with a smoking time of 4:14.

"Craig is very improved and it is so great to see," coach Sid Sink said.

"I just like the competition; I missed it after four years of the Air Force," Nieset said.

One of the reasons for Nieset's success is his attitude and will to work. A captain of the team, Nieset believes in the three D's—dedication, determination, and desire.

"I'm definitely a leader, maybe because I'm a non-traditional student," Nieset said.

In order to run distance, a complimentary balance of physical and mental strength can be the difference between a good and a great runner.

"Physical is going to be there if you do the work, but I think the mental [aspect of running] is very important. It's up to yourself to get mentally ready," Nieset said.

As a team leader, Craig's performances and actions motivate the rest of the team.

"I'm a hard worker, but Craig pushes me that much harder," teammate Dan Flaute said. "It's good to have a guy that has that much maturity with you on the team."

"Craig is an excellent team leader—a very mature and caring person who helps [the coaches] out," Sink said.

With the success this year, Nieset is looking to place in at least two events in the Mid-American Conference Championships this weekend. Friday, he'll run in the distance medley, then in Saturday's race, the 800-meter run.

This is what Craig looks forward to—the competition.

● See NIESET, page eight.

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PRO BASEBALL

Belle: 'I never bet on baseball'

The Associated Press

SARASOTA, Fla. — Albert Belle didn't talk much after reporting to the Chicago White Sox on Wednesday. He did, however, issue a written statement saying he didn't gamble on his own sport.

"I want to make one thing clear: I have never bet on baseball," Belle's statement said, adding these will be his last comments on the subject.

"I was never asked during the deposition if I bet on baseball," Belle said. "Each year, major league baseball officials speak to all of the major league teams and emphasize that betting on baseball is forbidden by major league baseball's rules. I have always faithfully adhered to those rules."

Belle, who until now had spent his entire big league career with Cleveland, chatted amiably with reporters about golf and shook hands by his locker. He promised to answer baseball-related questions on Thursday.

Belle, the game's highest-paid player after agreeing to a \$55 million, five-year deal, said during a deposition that he lost as much as \$40,000 gambling on sports other than baseball.

Major league baseball is investigating, and acting commissioner Bud Selig is awaiting a report from Kevin Hallinan, the sport's security head.

Gambling on baseball is against major league rules, punishable by a one-year suspension. A player who bets on games involving his own team is subject to a lifetime ban.

The outfielder, whose outbursts have often overshadowed his performances on the field, is being sued by a teen-ager over a 1995 Halloween confrontation in the Cleveland area.

The teen-ager's guardian claims Belle injured the boy while chasing him in his truck on Oct. 31, 1995. The suit seeks \$300,000 in damages.

Belle, who hit 98 home runs the last two years with the Indians, became the only major league player to have 50 homers and 50 doubles in a season when he led Cleveland to the World Series in 1995.

But he has been suspended five times in six years for various outbursts, including charging the mound, throwing a ball at a fan and berating a reporter.

"I believe Albert Belle to be a



Albert Belle, constantly immersed in controversy, denied allegations that he bet on baseball -- and lost 40,000 dollars.

good man," White Sox manager Terry Bevington said. "I don't listen to what other people say or what they don't say."

Bevington brushed off the gambling.

"I've never known much about

it," he said.

Belle's former Indians teammate Tony Pena, who's also in the White Sox camp, said the outfielder is misunderstood.

"He's smart. People think he's stupid but he's not," Pena said. "I

think he's a great human being."

Belle said he released the statement so he could ensure a fresh start with the White Sox, clear up what he called inaccurate reports and not be a distraction with his new team.

TRACK

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better than we have in the last few seasons and we should score a lot more points. We've been trying to rest everyone up to get over our injuries."

Kaleitha Johnson and Clarice Gregory have been hit the hardest with leg injuries, but both rested this week and are ready to go.

"Kaleitha has been stronger this week and Clarice also has looked pretty strong. They both should run well this weekend," Inman said.

Inman will run in four events at the MAC Championships. Her best chance could be in the 200-meter hurdles, in which she nearly set a school record early in the season.

Inman also runs on a much improved 4x400 relay team that could sneak up on the rest of the field.

"Brook Miller is back and she could help us a lot," Inman said. "We've improved in the last cou-

ple of weeks and we hope to place pretty high."

Distance captain Missy Lyne is confident that her squad will excel at the MAC championships.

"We have a great distance crew," Lyne said. "We have done really well against the MAC competition and we are probably the strongest distance team in the MAC. OU and Ball State will be our best competition."

Led by Jessica LaFene and Renee Strayer, the distance runners have been the most consistent point scorers for the Falcons this season.

"We didn't score a lot of points last weekend at Ball State, but we were resting some people and running people in different events," Lyne said. "We are trying to peak for this weekend. We should have runners placing in every event. Jess and Renee will place high in the mile and the 3000-meter run and Suzanne Isco, Amy Breidenbach, and I could all place in the 5000-meter run."

"I took second at the MAC Championships last year in the 5000, so I want to at least match that. Hopefully, I can win it."

Field events captain Nikki Sturzing predicts a competitive team meet and a big meet for the BG throwers.

Sturzing, Heather Nordgren, and Elyse Roethlisberger have all had exceptional seasons and are looking to place high at the MAC.

"I would like to place first in the shot put," Sturzing said. "I think Heather can definitely take first in the weight throw, and she could very well beat her own school record. I would also like to see Elyse place in the top three. No matter what, we should all place."

According to Sturzing, the Falcons' success this season reflects their hard work in practice.

"Everyone has been working hard all year long," Sturzing said. "It's 'MAC Week,' so we

spent this week doing a lot of fine-tuning. I think everyone is ready."

Lyne also gave credit to BG's work ethic.

"At practice, we have been working really hard," Lyne said. "Now all that hard work we've put in the last two months comes down to this weekend."

Litz best summed up the team's attitude with the MAC Championships just one day away.

"I love 'MAC Week.' Everyone is excited, everyone is focused and everyone is ready," Litz said. "We expect a good meet and we expect to win."



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SIXTH

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After that play, Miami would get no closer than six points. They threatened to come back on several occasions, but each time Bowling Green answered.

The Redskins hurt themselves more than anything, missing a shocking four wide-open layups. Even more stunning were the names of the culprits -- Wenclewicz and Carrie Kent, both seniors.

"You can't afford to miss layups," Miami coach Lisa Bradley said. "You can't afford it. I can't put them in for them. [But] that's something that's not characteristic of Jennifer Wenclewicz and Carrie Kent."

Wenclewicz was able to find her shot late in the game, but it wasn't enough. She led her team with 22 points and 10 rebounds, playing all 40 minutes, but could do nothing more than shrug at the end as Bowling Green pulled away from the free-throw line.

The Falcons were 18-of-19 from the charity stripe in the second half, including a perfect 8-of-8 over the last few minutes. Puthoff, who finished with a game-high 23 points, accounted for four of those freebies. She hinted that Clark had it all planned out.

"Tonight I had the chance to shoot," Puthoff said, "because I wasn't allowed to pass the ball."

The Falcons also got a big game from senior center Michelle Terry. Coming off the bench, Terry hauled down a team-high 10 boards and scored 11 points. She also provided some motivation by warning Tuesday that Bowling Green would not wither at the end again.

"Michelle pretty much said that we weren't allowed to do that," Puthoff said "We weren't going to let it happen again either. We weren't going to let this one slip away."

NIESET

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"I wouldn't have come back if I didn't know what I wanted to do," Nieset said. "I try to help the team to do the best that we can do."

Nieset has had to work and dedicate himself to running in order to get to this point. He is not about to let anything else get in the way of his goals.

"If you are out there because your parents want you to do it or if you think you have to do it, maybe because of a scholarship, I think it's a lot harder for those guys to be more dedicated," Nieset said.

With his success in the past -- two high school records in the 3200-meter relay and the mile -- Nieset pushes harder and harder to be the best person he can.

"I try to push everybody to do their best, to use everybody's potential to do their greatest. Track is made up of individual events but also a team effort," Nieset said.

The experience of the military is no more apparent than in Nieset's confidence. Last Saturday at Ball State, Nieset easily won the 800 with no competition from the Cardinals.

He attributes his winning to an improved state of maturity,

which leads to a tough mental attitude.

"Saturday, mentally, I knew that their times were slower than mine, so I just led the whole way," Nieset said.

Yet overcoming problems is nothing new for Craig. In the past, he has had trouble running through the lactic acid buildup in the legs.

"I had a lot of trouble with that and have come a long way with it over the years," Nieset said.

Only a junior, Nieset knows that this year's season will bring about better results. So far so good, but with the MAC Championships Saturday, and the outdoor season around the corner, times must come down.

"I think my mile is going to be my best race," Nieset said. "[The distance team has] a lot more things we need to look at."

Nieset and the rest of the distance team know that they need to start carrying more weight on their backs.

"The throwers and the sprinters carried us, so that is a rivalry there, so we can show the team that we can score points too," Nieset said.

Nobody said this was going to be easy, but at least for Craig Nieset, he's having a ball doing what he loves to do and that is all that matters.

NBA Standings

All Times EST				
EASTERN CONFERENCE				
Atlantic Division				
	W	L	Pct.	GB
Miami	40	12	.769	-
New York	38	14	.731	2
Orlando	25	25	.500	14
Washington	24	28	.462	16
New Jersey	15	36	.294	24.5
Philadelphia	12	39	.235	27.5
Boston	11	40	.216	28.5
Central Division				
	W	L	Pct.	GB
Chicago	46	6	.885	-
Detroit	38	13	.745	7.5
Atlanta	34	17	.667	11.5
Charlotte	32	21	.604	14.5
Cleveland	28	22	.560	17
Indiana	24	27	.471	21.5
Milwaukee	24	27	.471	21.5
Toronto	18	34	.346	28
WESTERN CONFERENCE				
Midwest Division				
	W	L	Pct.	GB
Utah	37	14	.725	-
Houston	34	18	.654	3.5
Minnesota	25	27	.481	12.5
Dallas	17	32	.347	19
Denver	17	36	.321	21
San Antonio	12	39	.235	25
Vancouver	11	44	.200	28
Pacific Division				
	W	L	Pct.	GB
L.A. Lakers	37	14	.725	-
Seattle	36	15	.706	1
Portland	28	25	.528	10
Sacramento	24	29	.453	14
L.A. Clippers	21	27	.438	14.5
Golden State	19	30	.388	17
Phoenix	19	35	.352	19.5

Wednesday's Games
Late Games Not Included
Charlotte 123, Phoenix 115
Atlanta 100, Indiana 87
Detroit 100, Washington 85
Orlando 95, Portland 84
Toronto 125, San Antonio 92
Minnesota at Vancouver (n)
Cleveland at L.A. Lakers (n)
Boston at Golden State (n)

NHL Standings

All Times EST						
EASTERN CONFERENCE						
Atlantic Division						
	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
Philadelphia	33	16	9	75	190	143
New Jersey	29	17	11	69	153	134
Florida	28	18	13	69	165	137
N.Y. Rangers	28	24	9	65	201	167
Washington	23	29	6	52	151	166
N.Y. Islanders	19	29	10	48	156	171
Tampa Bay	20	29	7	47	153	177
Northeast Division						
	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
Buffalo	30	19	10	70	170	148
Pittsburgh	31	22	5	67	213	186
Montreal	22	28	11	55	190	215
Hartford	22	28	8	52	163	188
Ottawa	20	26	12	52	164	170
Boston	20	31	7	47	166	204
WESTERN CONFERENCE						
Central Division						
	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
Dallas	34	22	4	72	179	150
Detroit	28	19	11	67	184	138
St. Louis	28	26	6	62	182	185
Phoenix	27	28	4	58	169	180
Chicago	23	28	8	54	154	155
Toronto	22	35	2	46	170	209
Pacific Division						
	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
Colorado	36	14	8	80	198	135
Edmonton	28	25	6	62	183	169
Calgary	24	29	7	55	160	174
Vancouver	26	29	2	54	185	197
Anaheim	23	29	6	52	166	177
San Jose	21	31	6	48	151	192
Los Angeles	19	33	8	46	156	205

Tuesday's Games
Pittsburgh 4, Florida 2
Calgary 5, Buffalo 5, tie
Ottawa 6, Washington 1
Colorado 3, Boston 2, OT
Phoenix 6, Los Angeles 1
Toronto 6, Vancouver 5
San Jose 3, Dallas 1

Wednesday's Games
Late Game Not Included
N.Y. Rangers 1, New Jersey 1, tie
Hartford 2, Philadelphia 2, tie
Detroit 4, Calgary 0
Toronto at Edmonton (n)

CCHA Standings

	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
Michigan (28-2-3)	19	2	2	40	130	42
Lake Superior (19-11-4)	15	7	3	33	102	86
Miami (22-9-1)	16	6	1	33	97	64
Michigan State (18-10-3)	14	6	3	31	86	63
Bowling Green (15-14-3)	10	11	3	23	95	98
Western Michigan (13-14-4)	9	10	4	22	77	85
Ohio State (11-22)	8	15	0	16	77	116
Ferris State (11-21-2)	7	16	1	15	74	109
Alaska-Fairbanks (12-20)	6	18	0	12	80	117
Notre Dame (8-22-1)	5	18	1	11	65	93

Friday's Results
Lake Superior 5, Ferris State 2
Miami 2, Michigan State 1
Michigan 3, Notre Dame 1
Alaska-Fairbanks 5, St. Norbert 1

Saturday's Results
Michigan State 6, Lake Superior 3
Miami 6, Ferris State 2
Michigan 6, Notre Dame 1
Alaska-Fairbanks 8, St. Norbert 0
Bowling Green 5, Western Michigan 3

Sunday's Results
Ohio State 4, Bowling Green 2 (non-league)



MAC Men's Standings

MAC				All			
	W	L	Pct.	W	L	Pct.	
Bowling Green-x	11	4	.733	19	7	.731	
Ohio-x	10	5	.667	15	8	.657	
Eastern Michigan-x	9	5	.643	18	7	.720	
Miami	9	5	.643	14	8	.636	
Western Michigan	8	7	.533	12	11	.522	
Ball St.	7	8	.467	14	11	.560	
Kent	7	8	.467	9	14	.391	
Toledo	5	10	.333	12	11	.528	
Akron	5	10	.286	7	16	.304	
Central Michigan	3	12	.200	6	17	.261	

x-clinched berth in MAC Tournament

Monday's Result

Toledo 80, Ohio 69

Wednesday's Results

Akron 98, Central Michigan 55

Kent 73, Ball State 58

Miami 64, Bowling Green 59

Western Michigan 82, Eastern Michigan 77

Saturday's Games

Eastern Michigan at Ball State

Miami at Western Michigan

Toledo at Bowling Green

Ohio at Central Michigan

Monday's Games

Eastern Michigan at Miami

Kent at Akron

Wednesday's Games


Bowling Green at Ohio

Akron at Eastern Michigan

Central Michigan at Kent

Western Michigan at Toledo

Ball State at Miami

The logo consists of the letters 'M', 'A', and 'C' in a stylized, blocky font. The 'M' and 'C' are large and connected, with the 'A' nestled between them. The letters are white with a thick black outline.

MAC Women's Standings

	Conf.			All		
	W	L	Pct.	W	L	Pct.
Toledo-x	13	2	.857	21	3	.875
Kent-x	12	3	.800	16	8	.667
Bowling Green-x	10	5	.667	13	10	.565
Ball State-x	10	5	.667	12	10	.545
Miami-x	10	5	.667	16	8	.667
Ohio-x	8	7	.533	11	12	.478
Central Michigan	4	11	.267	8	15	.348
Eastern Michigan	4	11	.267	7	15	.318
Western Michigan	3	12	.200	3	20	.130
Akron	1	14	.067	4	19	.174

x-clinched berth in MAC Tournament

Monday's Result

Toledo 95, Ohio 71

Wednesday's Games

Central Michigan 66, Akron 56

Eastern Michigan 61, Western Michigan 58

Kent State 78, Ball State 66

Bowling Green 75, Miami 67

Saturday's Games *

Ball State at Eastern Michigan

Bowling Green at Toledo

Western Michigan at Miami

Central Michigan at Ohio

Monday's Game

Kent at Akron

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HOOPS

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points from Stacey. But BG missed a golden opportunity in the first half with Davis on the bench for the final 9:50 after being called for two fouls. BG led 18-15 when Davis went

to the bench, but Miami outscored the Falcons 19-10 over the final 9:50 to take a 34-28 lead at halftime.

The senior tandem of Daniels and Larranaga for BG has gone 0-5 at Millett in their four

seasons.

"This is very tough," Daniels said. "I felt like this year we had the confidence to come in here and pull it off."

Bowling Green returns home Saturday to take on Toledo.

HOCKEY

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ference as to which team he would rather face, only that he would prefer not to travel to Saulte St. Marie to take on Lake Superior.

"I don't have a preference,"

Powers said. "I would prefer not to go to Lake Superior, though, because that's a long bus trip." Smaller ice

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ing team, but they must compete on a smaller ice surface than the BGSU Ice Arena.

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FOULS

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lot of confidence in our defense, and when that happens, we don't have to put people to the line,"

Clark said.

The Falcons have also gone to the line more frequently, and have capitalized on that. In their last three games, BG has scored

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Mon. Mar. 31st from 2-4pm in 128 Hayes Fri. Apr. 4th from 10am-noon in 128 Hayes

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USG*USG*USG Attention STUDENTS & FACULTY! Friday is THE LAST DAY TO SIGN UP FOR THE USG UNIVERSITY BANQUET

You can sign-up in 404 Student Services! For ??? call 2-8116

Reminder: organizations must turn in their sign-up sheets to 404 Student Services by Fri. at 5pm.

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Visions is meeting this Thurs. @ off-campus Student Center @ 8pm. We'll be going to play pool at Downtown. Everyone is invited. Hope to see you there!

WFAL presents: HYPE! the story of the Seattle music scene Wed. February 26 in the Gish film theater Showings at 7pm and 9pm Admission: \$2.00

CITY EVENTS

Football Tournament Downtown 6pm Sundays \$5 entry per person Singles & Doubles Tournaments 352-0392

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ALPHA XI DELTA ALPHA XI DELTA The sisters of Alpha Xi Delta would like to congratulate Shannon Fortney on her lavaliering to Phi Kappa Tau's Kevin Kraft.

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AMA AMA AMA AMA AMA AMA American Marketing Association Social Night at BW - 3's Fri. 2/21 from 5-7 All AMA members and friends welcome AMA AMA AMA AMA AMA AMA

AOTT AOTT AOTT Rush AOTT Alpha Omicron Pi celebrating 100 years of sisterhood, scholarship, philanthropy & fun!! Come & see what it is all about! Tues. Feb. 18 & Thurs. Feb. 20 at 8pm and 9pm AOTT House located next to Prout Hall!

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BE NAMED THE ORGANIZATION OF THE YEAR BY USGI USGI will be awarding the 'USG ORGANIZATION OF THE YEAR AWARD' to the organization that best displays how they have benefited the BGSU & Bowling Green community

To enter: *submit a 5 to 10 min. video to USG displaying their accomplishments & strengths at BGSU & in BG.

*Top 3 videos will be shown at USG's 1st ANNUAL UNIVERSITY BANQUET, MARCH 5 in front of administrators, faculty and fellow University org. members.

*\$15 donation to DANCE MARATHON is required to enter. Videos & donations (checks made payable to USG) can be sent to the USG office in 404 Student Services.

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GREEN CARD LOTTERY VISA Filing for the DV 1998 lottery has begun. Deadline is March 5th. 55,000 visas will be issued this year. For additional information send an e-mail to CMckin2288@aol.com, or visit web-site: <http://members.tripod.com/mikedv>.

INTRAMURAL ENTRIES DUE: CO-REC WHIFFLE BALL - FEB. 26; W.M. & CO-REC VOLLEYBALL - MARCH 5. ALL ENTRIES ARE DUE BY 4:00PM IN 130 PERRY FIELD HOUSE.

KD*Christina Basarab*KD The sisters of Kappa Delta congratulate Christina on being named sister of the week! Great job with Parent's Day!

KKG*DG*KKG*DG*KKG*DG*KKG The sisters of Kappa Kappa Gamma would like to thank our coaches of Delta Gamma for coaching us to victory! We had a great time! First place in Synchronized Swimming Second Place Overall Spirit Award KKG*DG*KKG*DG*KKG*DG*KKG

KKG*KKG*KKG*KKG*KKG*KKG The sisters of Kappa Kappa Gamma would like to thank the brothers of Delta Upsilon for awonderful time at Anchor Splash! KKG*KKG*KKG*KKG*KKG*KKG

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For Ticket Info, call Kay Taulker, 2-8357 If you miss the show on the 21st, it will be repeated on Fri., Feb. 28 in Eva Marie St. Theatre. Admission \$3

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Friday and Saturday February 20 and 21 10 p.m.-close \$1 Domestic Drafts During Happy Hours

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this week against Central
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